

IN THE CLAIMS:

The following is a complete listing of the claims, reflects all changes currently being made, and replaces all earlier versions and listings.

1. - 33. (canceled)

34. (currently amended): An image processing apparatus comprising:  
a capturing unit adapted to capture a reduction image from a storage medium storing storage images, the reduction images respectively corresponding to the storage images;

a first display control unit adapted to cause a display device to display the reduction images captured by said capturing unit;

a reduction image [[first]] selection indication unit adapted to select reduction images and indicate those reduction images which are to be subjected to a specific image process, from among the reduction images displayed by said first display control unit on the display device;

a second display control unit adapted to effect, in a size larger than that of the reduction image, automatic sequential display of images corresponding to the stored images which correspond respectively to the reduction images selected by said reduction image selection unit cause, after selection by said first selection indication unit automatic sequential display of larger size images, the larger size images including a respective larger size image for each of the reduction images indicated by said first selection indication unit;

a designating unit adapted to designate at least one image among the images displayed by said second display control unit in the size larger than that of the reduction image, as an image an execution indication unit adapted to select and indicate which of the storage images are to be subjected to [[the]] a specific image process, by selecting a corresponding larger size image automatically and sequentially displayed by said second display control unit; and

a specifying unit adapted to specify as a group, as a target of the specific image process, the storage image(s) corresponding to the image(s) designated by said designating unit as the image(s) to be subjected to the specific image process, as an image group to be subjected to the specific image process, when larger size images indicated by said execution indication unit, upon completion of the automatic sequential [[the]] display by said second display control unit is completed.

35. (currently amended): An image processing apparatus according to claim 34, wherein the storage image corresponding to each of the reduction images selected by said reduction image selection indication unit is displayed as the larger image.

36. (previously presented): An image processing apparatus according to claim 34, wherein said second display control unit causes the display device to display any one of the images to be displayed.

37. (currently amended): An image processing apparatus according to claim 36, wherein said second display control unit causes the display device to further display an indication section for changing the image[[s]] to be displayed on the display device.

38. (previously presented): An image processing apparatus according to claim 34, wherein an application program corresponding to the specific image process automatically starts after the end of the display by said second display control unit.

39. (currently amended): An image processing apparatus according to claim 34, wherein said designation execution indication unit can select whether or not to execute plural kinds of image processes.

40. (previously presented): An image processing apparatus according to claim 34, wherein the specific image process includes a print process.

41. (previously presented): An image processing apparatus according to claim 40, further comprising an editing operation accepting unit adapted to accept a user's operation to edit arrangements of the images to be printed and print sizes thereof in the print process.

42. (previously presented): An image processing apparatus according to claim 34, wherein the specific image process includes an electronic mail transmission process.

43. (previously presented): An image processing apparatus according to claim 42, further comprising an electronic mail formation control unit adapted to control to perform a new electronic mail formation process of attaching the image indicated to be transmitted as electronic mail, in the electronic mail transmission process.

44. (previously presented): An image processing apparatus according to claim 34, wherein the specific image process includes a transfer process of transferring the storage image to a desired storage area.

45. (previously presented): An image processing apparatus according to claim 34, wherein the storage medium is included in a digital camera.

46. (currently amended): An image processing method comprising:  
a capturing step of capturing a reduction image from a storage medium storing storage images and the reduction images respectively corresponding to the storage images;  
a first display control step of causing a display device to display the reduction images captured in said capturing step;

a reduction image [[first]] selection indication step of selecting reduction images and indicating those reduction images which are to be subjected to a specific image process, from among the reduction images displayed on the display in said first display control step device;

a second display control step of effecting, in a size larger than that of the reduction image, automatic sequential display of images corresponding to the stored images which correspond respectively to the reduction images selected in said reduction image selection step causing, after selection in said selection indication step, automatically sequential display of larger size images, the larger size images including a respective larger size image for each of the reduction images indicated in said selection indication step;

a designating step of designating at least one image among the images displayed in said second display control step in the size larger than that of the reduction image, as an image an execution indication step of selecting and indicating which of the storage images are to be subjected to [[the]] a specific image process, by selecting a corresponding larger size image automatically and sequentially displayed in said second display control step; and

a specifying step of specifying as a group, as a target of the specific image process, the storage image(s) corresponding to the image(s) designated in said designating step as the image(s) to be subjected to the specific image process, as an image group to be subjected to the specific image process, when larger size images indicated in said execution indication step, upon completion of the automatic sequential display in said second display control step is completed.

47. (currently amended): A storage medium computer-readably storing a program to achieve an image processing method comprising:

    a capturing step of capturing a reduction image from a storage medium storing storage images and the reduction images respectively corresponding to the storage images;

    a first display control step of causing a display device to display the reduction images captured in said capturing step;

    a reduction image selection indication step of selecting reduction image and indicating those reduction images which are to be subjected to a specific image process, from among the reduction images displayed in said first display control step on the display device;

    a second display control step of effecting, in a size larger than that of the reduction image, automatic sequential display of images corresponding to the stored images which correspond respectively to the reduction images selected in said reduction image selection step causing, after selection in said selection indication step, automatic sequential display of larger size images, the larger size images including a respective larger size image for each of the reduction images indicated in said selection indication step;

    a designating step of designating at least one image among the images displayed in said second display control step in the size larger than that of the reduction image, as an image an execution indication step of sequentially selecting and indicating which of the storage images to be subjected to [[the]] a specific image process; by selecting

a corresponding larger size image automatically and sequentially displayed in said second display control step; and

a specifying step of specifying as a group, as a target of the specific image process, the storage image[[s]] corresponding to the image designated in said designating step as the image to be subjected to the specific image process, as an image group to be subjected to the specific image process, when larger size images indicated in said execution indication step, upon completion of the automatic sequential display in said second display control step is completed.

48. (currently amended): A program stored in a computer-readable storage medium, for achieving, by means of a computer, an image processing method comprising:

a capturing step of capturing a reduction image from a storage medium storing storage images and the reduction images respectively corresponding to the storage images;

a first display control step of causing a display device to display the reduction images captured in said capturing step;

a reduction image selection indication step of selecting reduction images and indicating those reduction images which are to be subjected to a specific image process, from among the reduction images displayed in said first display control step on the display device;

a second display control step of effecting, in a size larger than that of the reduction image, automatic sequential display of images corresponding to the stored images which correspond respectively to the reduction images selected in said reduction image selection step causing, after selection in said selection indication step, automatically sequential display of the reduction images indicated in said selection indication step;

a designating step of designating at least one image among the images displayed in said second display control step in the size larger than that of the reduction image, as an image an execution indication step of selecting and indicating which of the storage images are to be actually subjected to a [[the]] specific image process, by selecting a corresponding larger size image automatically and sequentially displayed in said second display control step; and

a specifying step of specifying as a group, as a target of the specific image process, the storage image(s) corresponding to the image(s) designated in said designating step as the image(s) to be subjected to the specific image process, as an image group to be subjected to the specific image process, when larger size images indicated in said execution indication step, upon completion of the automatic sequential display in said second display control step is completed.

49. (currently amended): An image processing apparatus comprising:  
a capturing unit adapted to capture reduction images stored in a storage medium;

a display control unit adapted to cause a display device to automatically change, sequentially, display of images each larger than, and each corresponding to, a respective reduction image captured by said capturing unit;

an indicating unit adapted to indicate at least one image among the images  
automatically changed and sequentially displayed by said display control unit; and  
a registering unit adapted to register, ~~from among a series of image~~  
~~automatically displayed in series by said display control unit, the image plural images~~  
indicated by said indicating unit ~~a user~~ as a target of a single process.

50. (previously presented): An image processing apparatus according to claim 49, wherein the specific process includes a print process.

51. (previously presented): An image processing apparatus according to claim 49, wherein the specific process includes an electronic mail transmission process.

52. (previously presented): An image processing apparatus according to claim 49, wherein said registering unit can register execution or non-execution with respect to plural kinds of specific processes.

53. (previously presented): An image processing apparatus according to claim 49, wherein, after the switch-display ends, an application program corresponding to the specific process automatically starts.

54. (currently amended): An image processing apparatus comprising:  
a capturing unit adapted to capture images stored in a storage medium;  
a display control unit adapted to control so that the images captured by said capturing unit are automatically and sequentially displayed entirely on a display device as a slideshow;

an indicating unit adapted to indicate at least one image among the images displayed as the slideshow by said display control unit; and  
a registering unit adapted to register, ~~from among a series of images displayed by said display control unit, an image~~ the image indicated by said indicating unit, ~~a user~~ as a target of a specific process.

55. (currently amended): An image processing method comprising:  
a capturing step of capturing a reduction image stored in a storage medium;  
a display control step of causing a display device to change, automatically and sequentially, display of images each larger than, and each corresponding to, a respective reduction image captured in said capturing step;

an indicating step of indicating at least one image among the images automatically changed and sequentially displayed in said display control step; and  
a registering step of registering, ~~from among a series of image displayed in said display control step, the image plural images~~ indicated in said indicating step, ~~by a user~~ as a target of a single process.

56. (currently amended): An image processing program stored in a computer-readable storage medium, for achieving, by means of a computer, an image processing method comprising:

a capturing step of capturing a reduction image stored in a storage medium;

a display control step of causing a display device to change, automatically

and sequentially, display of images each larger than, and each corresponding to, a respective reduction image captured in said capturing step;

an indicating step of indicating at least one image among the images automatically changed and sequentially displayed in said display control step; and  
a registering step of registering, from among a series of images displayed in said display control step, the image plural images indicated in said indicating step, by a user as a target of a single process.

57. (currently amended): A storage medium computer-readably storing a program to achieve an image processing method comprising:

a capturing step of capturing a reduction image stored in a storage medium;

a display control step of causing a display device to change, automatically

and sequentially, display of images each larger than, and each corresponding to, a respective reduction image captured in said capturing step;

an indicating step of indicating at least one image among the images automatically changed and sequentially displayed in said display control step; and

a registering step of registering, ~~from among a series of image displayed in~~ said display control step, the image plural images indicated in said indicating step, by a user as a target of a single process.

58. (currently amended): An image processing method comprising:  
a capturing step of capturing images stored in a storage medium;  
a display control step of controlling so that the images captured in said capturing step are displayed automatically and sequentially, entirely on a display device as a slideshow;

an indicating step of indicating at least one image among the images displayed as the slideshow in said display control step; and  
a registering step of registering, ~~from among a series of images displayed in~~ said display control step, an image the image indicated [[by]] in said indicating step, a user as a target of a specific process.

59. (currently amended): An image processing program stored in a computer-readable storage medium, for achieving, by means of a computer, an image processing method comprising:  
a capturing step of capturing images stored in a storage medium;  
a display control step of controlling so that the images captured in said capturing step are automatically and sequentially displayed entirely on a display device as a slideshow;

an indicating step of indicating at least one image among the images  
displayed as the slideshow in said display control step; and  
~~a registering step of registering, from among a series of images displayed in~~  
~~said display control step, an image~~ the image indicated in said indicating step, by a user as a  
target of a specific process.

60. (currently amended): A storage medium computer-readably storing a program to achieve an image processing method comprising:  
a capturing step of capturing images stored in a storage medium;  
a display control step of controlling so that the images captured in said capturing step are automatically and sequentially displayed entirely on a display device as a slideshow;

an indicating step of indicating at least one image among the images  
displayed as the slideshow in said display control step; and  
~~a registering step of registering, from among a series of images displayed in~~  
~~said display control step, an image indicated in said indicating step, by a user as a target of~~  
a specific process.

61. (previously presented) An apparatus according to Claim 34, wherein information indicating the process target is displayed together with the selected image.

62. (previously presented) An apparatus according to Claim 49, wherein information indicating the process target is displayed together with the selected image.

63. (previously presented) An apparatus according to Claim 54, wherein information indicating the process target is displayed together with the selected image.